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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA SAN JOSE DIVISION

AVOCET SPORTS TECHNOLOGY, INC.,) Case No.: 11-CV-04049-LHK
Plaintiff, v.	ORDER REFERRING MATTER FOR RELATED CASE DETERMINATION
GARMIN INTERNATIONAL, INC., et al.,)
Defendants.)
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Pursuant to Civil Local Rule 3-12(c), the above captioned matter is hereby referred to the Honorable James Ware for a determination as to whether it is related to: Avocet Sports Technology, Inc. v. Amer Sports Corp., et al., 08-CV-04264-JW. In both this case (11-CV-04049-LHK) and the first filed case assigned to Judge Ware (08-CV-04264-JW), Plaintiff Avocet Sports Technology Inc. claims that Defendants infringe United States Patent Number 5,058,427 ("the '427 Patent"). In the first filed case, Judge Ware previously construed a term from the '427 Patent. See First Claim Construction Order, Case Number 08-CV-04264-JW, Doc. No. 52. Additionally, Defendants in this case have raised a laches defense, and Plaintiffs have indicated that the same defense was raised by the Defendants in the first filed case before Judge Ware.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: February 7, 2012

United States District Judge

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